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Cool Jobs in Basketball Project

Directions:

While reading this book, you learned about the different jobs that are involved with the sport of basketball. Now, you need to think about your future. What kind of job do you want? What do you have to do in order to be qualified for your job? In this assignment, you will research a job that you might be interested in working in the future. The, you will write a letter to your parents persuading them to let you study this field (job).

Purpose and Audience:

The purpose of the letter is to persuade your parents to let you go to school for your job.

The audience, or the people who will read this letter, will be your parents.

What to include:

* A graphic organizer (attached to Mrs. Young’s Website) with your brainstorming notes.
* A persuasive letter
  + Paragraph 1: Explain why you are writing this letter
  + Paragraph 2: Explain what job you want to study
    - What kind of schooling do you need?
    - What do people do at this job?
    - Who would you work for?
  + Paragraph 3: Explain why the job is important
  + Paragraph 4: Convince your parents to let you study this job.
* Proper Letter Format
  + Your letter must be formatted correctly.
    - Check the Letter Format on Mrs. Young’s website to see the proper format.